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TO: MR. JOHN SAGAN
VICE PRESIDENT
FORD MOTOR COMPANY'
AMERICAN ROAD
DEARBORN, MICHIGAN

BETWEEN 30 APRIL - 15 MAY AFGHAN GOVERNMENT IS HOSTING MEETING OF NON-ALIGNED COORDINATING COMMITTEE AND IS LIMITING ISSUANCE OF TOURIST VISAS DURING THIS PERIOD, HOWEVER, EMBASSY HAS BEEN INFORMED BY AFGHAN FOREIGN MINISTRY THAT TOURIST VISAS MAY BE ISSUED AND HONORED IF TOURIST IS TO BE GUEST OF AN EMBASSY OFFICIAL AND WILL NOT TAKE NEEDED HOTEL SPACE. WILL DRAFT LETTER EXPLAINING TO AFGHAN EMBASSY/CONSULATE THAT MARGE AND ELIZABETH ARE TO BE MY GUESTS WHILE IN AFGHANISTAN; WILL HAVE LETTERS HAND CARRIED TO NEW YORK ON 29 MARCH FOR LOCAL POSTING. LETTERS SHOULD BE IN YOUR HANDS SHORTLY THERE-AFTER. ALTERNATIVELY, MARGE AND ELIZABETH ARE WELCOME TO VISIT US A WEEK EARLIER AND THEREBY AVOID ANY COMPLICATIONS. IN ANY EVENT, SUGGEST MARGE AND ELIZABETH OBTAIN VISAS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE: TOURIST VISA IS VALID FOR ENTRY INTO AFGHANISTAN FOR 3 MONTHS AFTER DATE OF ISSUANCE. WE WILL MEET MARGE AND ELIZABETH AT AIRPORT AND WILL BE ABLE TO GET THEM INTO COUNTRY. LET ME UNCLASSIFIED

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KNOW TRAVEL PLANS WHEN FIRM. ARNOLD LONG.

AMERICAN EMBASSY KABUL, AFGHANISTAN

INTERESTED PARTY.

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